

8. OPERATION ALF (AMERICAN LEGION FAMILY) - to provide comfort to homeless veteran's children
9. TO COLLABORATE WITH LEGION FAMILY

Bill Clancy – SON'S Children and Youth

1. Challenge every squadron to participate in children and youth programs.
2. Open House to public – “Our Family-Your Family” Publicize it and make it easy and fun.
3. Each squadron donate \$1.50 per member to support programs.
4. Help with donations to CWF

Jenny Gohr – Got a grant from “Boys Town National Hotline”

Influence boys through programs. Phone # is 988 in July of 2022 over 4,000,000 calls per year.

Wendy Fournier – Autism Lady Grant for BIG RED SAFETY BOX

Each box \$27.00 Has information at fingertips about autism. 10 years for this program working

3 levels of support-SPOT (a check off sheet for help)

- A. Causes social problems. B. Usually non-speakers. C Repetitive behavior.
- B. They HATE “happy birthday song”
- C. Wander a lot-be careful around trains and water.
- D. They have a flight of freeze level
- E. In box is calming cards. – pictures of how they feel- non verbal
- F. Window clings one for home and one for car.
- G. Provide wristbands or one for shoes for identification.

When they first got the grant in 6 hours they gave out 1,000 boxes. In 10 years they have given out 60,000 boxes. Lots to police to recognize symptoms. How to deal with person – to make comfortable.

Mark Seavey – LOGO AND EMBLEM USE

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STACY COPE TEMPORARY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

It is a one time grant. Must be a member of the American Legion . Have a child in the household be 17 or below in age. Will cover food, shelter, clothing, utilities, and

Medications.

Find out more at [legion.org/Training Tuesdays](https://legion.org/Training-Tuesdays).

Ellen- January 2022 Brand LOGO change to attract young groups.

We met on October 9, 2021, at Department Headquarters. We went over changes in our brochure. Major change adopted for Winter Olympics.